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The Intelligencer.

The Charleston Situation. tal of the State continues to increase in interest. The issue between the cornerwork itself out to-day. It is evidently the intention of the Governor to do all in his end he has formally protested against Legislature. Unless forcibly hindered therefore he will ship the public property to-day on board the Emma Graham, and

will take passage for Wheeling.

We think it altogether likely that an order will be issued to-day for the forcible detention of the archives of the State at Charleston. Unless this order is force requisite to detain the property we presume that Governor Jacob will, as usual, pay no attention to it, but proceed to load the boxes containing the property on the boat. Should the Sheriff of Kanawha county appear on the ground with a posse comitatus sufficient to earry out the order of the Court, there will be no alternative but to leave the

likely that the legislature whose authori ty has thus been set at defiance, will be it any mood whatever, when it it re-assembles, to listen to any overtures for compro mise from the parties who have ignored the binding force of its encetments. The representatives of the people of the State will hold Charleston to severe account for what may be done there to-day.

P. S .- Since the foregoing remarks and third disnatches from Charleston, showing that the imbroglio has terminawhere the memoers assentine control of the Stafe, to forcibly perist the detention of the Stafe, to forcibly perist the detention of the public property. Anyhow, he does not incur the responsibility of bloodshed under the peculiar circumatances of the situation, and in this we think he ted peacefully for the present by the conces of the situation, and in this we think he has acted wisely. It will be time enough

all parts of the country. No one can read the statements which we publish this morning without realizing the magnitude of the destruction that threatens the richest agricultural portions of the West the Governor of Missouri has ordered a a day of fasting and prayer throughout the State, calling upon the people to in voke the Almighty to put forth his hand and stay the progress of the plague. He realizes, as does everybody, that all human efforts to cope with this consuming scourge are simply in vain. The pestiferous insects comin such numbers, and devour everything with such rapidity, that no be employed against them. Their stay in any locality is only for a few hours, bu ere they take their flight almost every green thing in the way of fruit, vegeta-

bles, or crops of any kind, is destroyed. The ravenous insects take the country as they go. Their journey has been eastward (coming from the Rocky Mountain regions) for several years past. They have appeared thus early, and in immense numbers, in Eastern Kansas, Northwestern Iowa and Western Missouri. Before the season closes they may make their apthe season closes they may make their appearance in Wisconsin, Illinois and the whole West. There is no telling what immense proportions this threatening disaster to the country may take on in the course of the next three months. It is not impossible that the most wide spread destruction of crops ever known in this or reaches. Cortinas and to consider the man of the course of the next three months. It is not impossible that the most wide spread destruction of crops ever known in this or reaches. Cortinas went there with 187 and just been dissolved by Judge Smith, and judge Smi

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power to vindicate the authority that belongs to him to execute the laws. To this modern times. There is no previous reconstructions of the CONTRACTOR SUMMONED FOR modern times. the attempt of the Kanawha Judge to We seem to be having it in several variinterfere with the discharge of his duties. eties just at this particular time, viz: in He has declined to recognize any authority on the part of that judge to interfere and potato bugs. The last named plague to-day on board the Emma Graham, and along with the other officers of the State will reach us. We can therefore well af-

till recent occurrences revived it. There property and come off without it. This and they were paid from \$20 to \$25 per Judge who sees fit to enjoin him from month. The money arising from this the performance of his duties. public interests—a very serious one, too, but one for which the corner-lot speculators of Charleston will be alone responsible. The responsibility will be their's for all the confusion and damage that may result to the transaction of public business.

Notwithstanding the bluster that was indulged in by the writer of the Charleston letter to the Cincinnati Commercial, (noticed in our columns a day or two since,) about putting the Governor in jill, we have no idea that any such gross outrage and disgrace upon the dignity and good name of the State will be attempted. We presume the corner-lot speculators will be content with the empty victory of detaining the public property, hoping that it may prove bait enough to allure the return of the capitat to that point when the legislature muets, or perchance, that it may compel the voluntary return of the State officials even before that time. In this they will be disappointed, It is altogether unlikely that the legislature whose authori-

'rom the Christian at Work.)
What is more delicious for a minister What is more delicious for a minister than to accept an invitation to a parishioner's house, and sit an hour or two in the evening at the table with a collection of pleasant people? But that is what kills ministers. Hot waffles, fresh hiscuit, oysters and cold tongue at seven o'clock in the evening have given many a "man of God" dyspepsia, a dull brain, poor sermons, short pastorate and an early decease. Rich and late suppers are doing a bad work for some of our best elergymen. We know of ministerial clubs where the members assemble Saturday where the members assemble Saturday afternoon to discuss religious topics, tarone of their strong points.

Blood Will Tell.

to determine upon a proper course to be pursued after arriving here and reviewing the necessities of the situation.

Serious Aspect of Things in the West.

Our Wall street market reports this morning announce that the news from the West in regard to the fearful ravages of the grasshoppers in Kansaa and Misouri, is regarded with serious apprehension in financial circles. This may well be the case. The news is certainly such as to awaken grave forebodings in all parts of the country. No one can read the statements which we publish the real mother disappeared from the real mother statements which we publish the real mother disappeared about the re same time, they have undoubtedly fled together. Mr. and Mrs. Marten are in the deepest grief, as they had learned to love their adopted daughter deeply.

NEW YORK.

NEW YORK, May 20.—The feature of the session of the Long Island Diocese piscopal Convention in Brooklyn yester-Christian Education, which was read by Rev. Dr. Stafford Drowne. The report urges the establishment of a system of Episcopal schools in which Church children may obtain religious culture. The report uses strong language in denunciation of the public schools, and urges that the popular schools shall be made Chris-

The steamship Cresent City, from Haana, picked up at sea the disable chooner Carrie Bell, from Savanah for lew York, and towed her into Charles. on yesterday. Sharkey,the murderer who escaped from

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CHARLESTON, May 20, The second letter from Judge Smith to

The preliminary skirmish between the removal of a portion of the public property to the wharfboat, there to await the coming of the Emma Graham. While it was in progress the contractor who had charge of the job was summoned to answer for contempt of court. He came before Judge Smith and stated that he was simply carrying into effect a contract that he had entered into with the Governor to remove certain boxes from the Capitol building to the river. The Judge forming him that an application had been made for a rule against him for contempt of the injunction, and desiring to be in formed whether the Governor, would appear in court without resort to the cutomary process, and show cause why b should not be proceeded against according ing to law. To this note Governor Jacob promptly replied, saying, in substance, that in the name of the people of West Virginia he protested against this attempt to interfere with the discharge of his duties under the constitution and laws of the State, and declining to recognize any authority on the part of Judge Smith to and all others concerned in the obstrucissue process against him. In conclusion tion of the law would be held responsible he asks Judge Smith whether other or its safe keeping.
orders, having in view the carrying out The Governor's letter was read in

of the injunction, are to be expected from is crowded with people anxious to see the cords of the State, as he has no legal right progress and denouement of this interest- so to do. ng conflict between the Judicial and Executive departments of the State. At the Capitol things begin to wear a descried look. Almost everything in the way of public property is packed and ready for State officers leave for Wheeling on the shipment. The steamer Emma Graham Emma Graham to-morrow morning. So is expected to-morrow, at which time we shall see what we shall see. If the Court persists in its present attitude and undertakes to detain the public property all the State officers will go aboard and depart for Wheeling, leaving the property

Everything is quiet on the streets

Second Dispatch.

CHARLESTON, May 29, 1875.

REPORTED.

This morning the court was informed, on proper affidavit, that certain parties were raying the public property from the Capitol to the wharf, preparatory to hipment from this place, in contempt of minutes to make it, whereupon she took be order of the Court against so doing. Upon this information rules were at once sued and served upon the parties engaged in draving the property. Said parties Capitol building, and coming into court what she wanted, but which was harmless, answered the rule served upon them by She drank this as she left the store, and saying that they had been informed by as it had no effect she tried to leave her the Governor that the injunction had room again, to obtain a larger dose, but the Governor that the injunction had been dissolved, and that it no longer stood was prevented. She was removed to a in the way of a discharge of their contract to dray said property to the wharf.

Upon the filing of this answer the plaintiffs in the injunction proceedings promptly applied for a rule against the Governor, both as Chief Magistrate of the State and as an individual, to answer for his contempt in thus presuming to violate his contempt in thus presuming to violate the orders of the Court. The Court, admits states, a stationary barometer and temperature, southerly winds and generally clear weather.

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For the Gulf States, a falling barometer and the court of th the orders of the Court. The Court, ernor by letter of the application that had been made, and requested him to appear, without awaiting compulsory process, and to inform the Court by return of

essenger whether he would so appear. To this notification the Governor at once replied by letter, protesting in the Sharkey, the murderer who escaped from name of the people of West Virginia, harge of detectives, managed to get against any and all orders in any way hindering or preventing the execution of the act removing the cap-Bnowsaville, Tex., May 20.—Mexi-an cavairy have been stationed at vari-us points between Camargo and Mata-He went on to state in his note that the oras. General Cortinas has had a difficulty act of removal passed by the Legislature

ASSOCIATED PRESS REPORT
To issue between the corner is increased to the corner is not that place are for the time.

It is probable that aid issues will to the interconduction that the control of the Corner is control of the Corner is the control of the Corner is control o protest, characterizing it as an unwarrantable interference with the constitutional discharge of the duties of his
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other.

In December 1869, eminued Mr. Porlier, a year after the death of his son Paul, when he alleges his wife was the mistress of the honored pastor, Tilton writes a letter to his wife, in which he says that her affection touched his deepest nature, and he wished he was more worthy of it. When the receptacle containing these letters of his wife was invaded and the letters breathed love and adoration she believed in him. God would indeed be askep if He did not overturn the actions and intentions of this invader. We will now turn, said the counsel, to the 17th of October, 1868, for three the issue of this case hinges. On the 9th of that month Henry Ward Beecher delivered one of his brilliant addresses in the Academy of Music, and his accusers thought they could safely fix on the next day, the 10th, as the date of his first commission of the act. The counsel could imagine what a hunting through almanacs there was for this day by both Moulton and Tilton so that there would arise no danger from an alibi, and the next date fixed upon was between Friday evening prayer meeting and the following Sunday. Seven years nothing to do with the custody of the archives thus turned over to him by the Governor further than to prevent their removal, and that their custody is still difficulty now arising. An immense crowd thronged the Court House and yard all termination to prevent the removal of go this crime was and to be committed, iontlemen, would you believe that a man cost for the first time in his life at the uge of sixty to commit an act of debauch-ry? In order for Theodore Tilton to wreak his vengeance on Henry Watrd leecher he walks over the body of his

The counsel then commented on the the custody of the papers, books, and re the custody of the papers, books, and records of the State, as he has no legal right so to do.

The Governor will take no steps for the present looking to the removal of the property. An inventory is now being made of it prior to leaving it behind. All the State officers leave for Wheeling on the Emma Graham to-morrow morning. So look out for us in a day or two.

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Mirs. Lincoln Attempts to Commit Suicide.

Citicago, May 20.—The Tones has information that Mrs. Lincoln to-day attempted to commit suicide by poisoning. After being removed from the court room, where she was adjudged intered to the court room, where she was adjudged intered to the court room, where she was adjudged intered to the propose of the state of the same adjudged intered to commit saided by poisoning. After being removed from the court room, where she was adjudged intered to the state of the same adjudged in the court room, where she was adjudged in the court roo from the Turner in relation to these approcourt room, where she was adjudged insane yesterday, she was put under the strictest surveillance, it being feared that she might do injury to herself. To-day she escaped from her room and hurried to the drug store of Frank Square, under the Grand Pacific Hotel. She ordered a compound of camphor and haudanum, ostensibly for neuralgia. The elerk informed her that it would take about ten minutes to make it, whereupon she took a carriage and drove to two other drug stores. At this point the usual recess was taken.

spoke in praise of the counse, by Bessie Turner in defense of Mrs. Tilton against her husband.

Judge Porter then passed on to Bowen's testimony. On the cross-examination, said the counsel, Mr. Bowen's memory was very treacherous. He did not remember Beecher having slandered Tilton; he did not remember what was said, although they had a conversation lasting some time. After all, Theodore, said Mr. Porter, turning around to the plauntiff, don't you think Bowen made a poor with ness? Not showing, as Moulton and Tilton and the said, that he was treacherous, but that his memory was treacherous. He carbis memory was treacherous.

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CHARLOTTE, N. C., May 20.—The open-ing ceremonies of the centennial anniver-sary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence was inaugurated yesterday. The stores, dwellings and streets were decorated with flags, flowers and ever-regens and great cowde enthead from greens, and great crowds gathered from different places in this State and from South Carolina, Tennessee and Virginia, to unite in the opening exercises of the centennial. The day could hardly have centennial. The day could hardly have been more auspicious. By noon a nu-merous throng had gather at Indepen-dence Square to witness the hoisting of the Stars and Stripes. As the flag reached the summit of the pole the band struck up the air "The Old North State," and enthusiastic shouts rent the air. When the music ceased Mayor Johnson address-ed the assembled multitude in a patriotic speech.

States of the Union, were fired, which terminated the exercises. The city to-day is filled with visitors, many of them gentlemen of distinction, from North Carolina and other States. The streets are filled with firemen and military dressed in their attractive uni-forms. Flags are floating not only from buildings in the principal part of the city, but from flagstaffs in different places,

the various centennial committees, accompanied by bands of music and their
own special banners, emblems and ensigns.
In carriages were the Governor of North
Carolina, Governors of other States, United States Senators, the Supreme and
Superior Court Judges of North Carolina,
the Mayor of the city and other invited
guests, including the chaplain, orators
and readers. The procession arrived at
the Fair Grounds at 11 o'clock. It was
over a mile long, and nothing grander
has ever taken place on the soil of North
Carolina. The exercises at the Fair
Grounds were opened with prayer, after

minutes to make it, whereupon she took a carriage and drove to two other drug stores. She was followed by Mr. Square, who in each case prevented the drugsits from giving her the compound. She finally returned to the first place and procured a mixture which she supposed was what she wanted, but which was harmless. She drank this as she left the store, and as it had no effect she tried to leave her room again, to obtain a larger dose, but was prevented. She was removed to a private hospital at Batavia, Ills., this evening, where she will have every attention.

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The counsel then spoke of that portion of the testimony when Tilton came to his house and announced he was ruined. The man, said he, who was at the head of a leading American newspaper and in receipt of \$15,000 a year announced himself as a ruined man.

The Court here adjourned.

Mecklenburg Centennial.

Charlotte, N. C., May 20.—The opening ceremonies of the centennial anniversary of the Mecklenburg Declaration of Independence was inaugurated yesterday. The stores, dwellings and streets were work of the railroad has been destroyed. The work of the

along the road are on fire, and great ex-

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About 13 cars have been burned at Showshoe, and about 800 or 1,000 tons of coal and all the houses about the mines are destroyed. Creaders mills and a large lot of lumber were destroyed, also a lot of lumber belonging to the Belieforte car works.

Portatville, May 20.—This menting an attempt was made to burn Shenaridoah. At Riles's hotel it was discovered that coal oil and lighted maches had been thrown in windows. In five minute, after the discovery was made a second alarm was sounded in an other direction, and a dwelling house and carpenter shop burned to the ground, and while the firemen were working on the adjoining builtings at hird alarm was given uprown, a lumber yard had been fired and particity destroyed. The cirizens are very much larged. Vigilant Committees and Committees of safety have been organized.

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mittees of safety have been organized.

Charles Hays was arrested this afternoon charged with being connected with the incendiary fires, and was held in \$1,000 bail to answer at the next term of

control.

The people of Gilberton telegraphed to the Mahoney City. Fire Department for help, the large Draper colliery being in great danger. It was finally saved.

At Donaldson & Tremont's colliery whistles of alarm were given during the day assumption was a large of the colling. whistles of alarm were given during the day, summoning men to protect the coal breakers. The fire is advancing on Mahoney City, Mahoney Plains and Maizeville, where the citizens are out in the woods fighting the llames. Slabtown, a small mining village, was entirely consumed. Fifteen miners' dwellings were burned at Lanigan's and eight at Penn colliery. At 4 o'clock this afternoon a portion of the Paristin Constitution of the Paristin Constitution

MEMPHIS.

MEMPHIS, May 20.—Notwithstanding the proclamation of the Governor there is no observance as a holiday, and the business houses are open as usual. A mass meeting will be held at the Theatre to-night, and addresses will be delivered.

SALE OF MEMPHIS WATER WORKS. MEMPHIS, May 20.—The Memphis Water Works were sold to-day for the benefit of the first mortgage bond holders, and were purchased by W. P. Wallace, President of the New York Guarantee and Indemnity Company, Chas. Keep. Manuger of the Holly Water Works Company, Lockport, N. Y., and Wm. Good-nan, Vice President of the Third Napany, Lockport, N. 1., and Vin., Object, and Vin., Vice President of the Third National Bank of Cincinnati, each of which institutions held a large amount of bonds. The price was \$170,000, being a little more than half the cost of the works.

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cention of the distribution of the principal sales were Duchess of Hirton for \$2,500 and Duchess of Springwood for \$1,000 and Duchess of \$1,000 and Duches of \$1,

FOREIGN NEWS.

ENGLAND.

London, May 20.—A dispatch from St. Petersburg says that Russia will await replies to its communication in relation to the conference upon the usages of war.

FRANCE.

PARIS, May 20.—Two Commissioners to represent France at the Philadelphia Centennial, one to reside in the United States and the other in France, will be

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NASHVILLE, TENN., May 20.—The Supreme Council of the United Friends of Temperance is in session in this city. The order is now established in ten States, of which eight are represented in the Council. They have adopted a new ritual. The order now has 860 subordinate councils, with a membership of between 40,000 and 50,000, and is reported to be rapidly increasing. ed to be rapidly increasing

Notwithstanding the rain the Mecklen-burg Centennial was celebrated with spirit and enthusiasm at the agricultural fair grounds west of the city. Eloquent and patriotic speeches were delivered by ex-Governor Neil S. Brown and William G. Bryan, Esq., which were enthusiastic-ally applauded. They advocated the union of the whole country in sustaining the best government known among men. The Mayor of the city, Hon. B. M. How-ell, read the Mecklenburg Declaration of gentlemen were present. The public schools are closed. The Stars and Stripes

grounds.

Cumberland Presbyterian Assembly.

JEFFERSON, TEXAS, May 20.—The forty-fifth Assembly of the Cumberland Presbyterian Church met in this city today. There are present minety-cight ministers and fifty-nine elders. The introductory sermon was preached by the outgoing Moderntor, Rev. T. C. Blake, D.D. Among those pre-ent were Rev. George Gladstone, of Glagow, Scotland, corresponding delegate of the Evangeli-cal Church of Scotland, and Rev. W. K. Marshall, D. D., corresponding delegate

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The fires on the mountains continue,
and the heavy winds have spread them
rapidly in all directions. The citizens of
Middleport telegraphed to the Pottsville
Fire Dupartment for as-sestance. Before
transportation could be had they again
telegraphed that they had the fire under
control.

QUEBEC, May 29.—A letter received to-ay from the light house keeper at the

portion of the Pottaville fire department was called out, and they immediately left by a special train for Gilberton.

A dispatch from Mahoney City says the miners have decided to accept the operators offer and resume work at Bowman's colliery. It is predicted that the men in other localities will soon do likewise.

Discharged Officials.

Washington, May 20.—The following is a list of the internal revenue officers recently dismissed in the First District of Illinois: Storkeeepers—James Miller, John Steinmetz, F. White, Henry Wend, G. D. Phelps, J. A. Forzyth, Ernest Mat-tern and Nathan Gatzert. Gangers—B. Miller, L. Mattern, A. Waterman, R. Backe, G. F. Robinson and D. L. Taylor.

Will Abide by the Decision.

Council Blurrs, 1a., May 20.-It is inderstood that the Union Pacific Railroad Company will abide by the decision of the United States Circuit Court in the mandamus case to compel the companto operate its bridge as a part of its road.

Sale of Short Horn Cattle.

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Gaicago, May 20.—J. P. Sanborns herd
of short horn cattle were sold at the Dexter Park to-day. The principal sales
were Duchees of Haron for \$2,600 and
Duchess of Springwood for \$1,100 to J.
R. Craig, of Elmorton, Canada; Crystal
Queen ofth for \$1,025 to T. Hickman of
Ashland, Mo.